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In the Application of:

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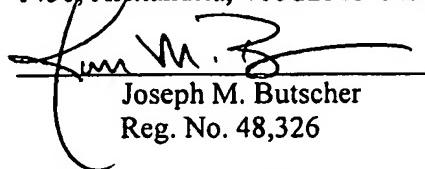
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The Paper responds to the Office Action mailed July 20, 2006. In view of the claim amendments and remarks set forth below, the Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the claim rejections.